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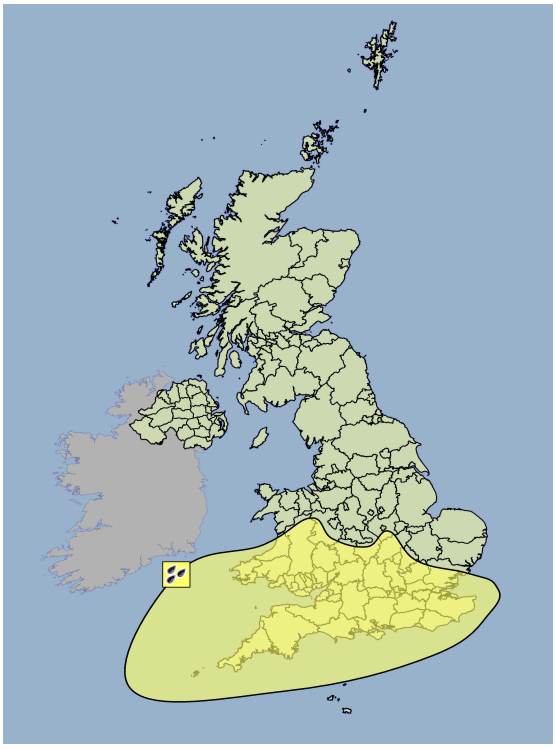

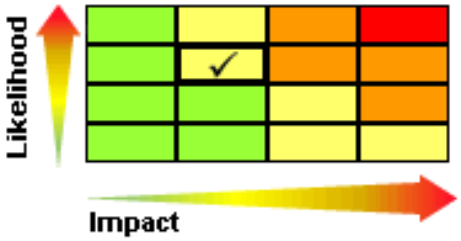

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An area of low pressure and its associated fronts gave some 15-30 mm of rain across many southern areas during Thursday and Thursday night. This has led to further flooding in places.

A further Atlantic frontal system will bring a band of rain quickly eastwards during Friday night and early Saturday, with the heaviest rain again likely to be across parts of southern England and south Wales. This will be followed in turn by heavy showers and some bands of more persistent rain rotating around the major depression centre as it crosses northern areas. Winds will also be a feature with severe gales possible around coasts in the south and southwest of England and parts of Wales.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **19:00 on Fri, 07th Feb 2014** until **06:00 on Sun, 09th Feb 2014**

Following the very wet weather that affected many southern areas on Thursday night, another band of rain, heavy at times, accompanied by coastal gales will affect southwest England and Wales during Friday evening, moving quickly east across the UK early on Saturday. This rain will clear the east coast on Saturday morning but will be followed by frequent heavy and squally showers and some bands of more persistent rain too.

The public should be aware that further disruption due to flooding is likely.

This is an update to the warning to extend the risk period into early Sunday.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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